

## NEWS BREVITIES LOCAL AND GENERAL

## Advertisement

**Train Bulletin.**  
Southwestern train No. 4 from the west, due at 1:40 p. m., will arrive at 4:30 p. m. G. H. & S. A. train No. 11 from the west, due at 4:30 p. m., will arrive at 5:20 p. m. All other afternoon and night trains are reported on time.

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**Dr. Carl Smith, 327 1st Nat. Bldg.**  
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**Oil Town Burned Out.**  
Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 15.—Oil town's brief existence as a boom town came to a temporary end Thursday night, when the buildings saved from the fire two weeks ago were razed by a second conflagration which practically wiped out the little metropolis of the Concho oil field. The fire started in a motion picture theater and spread rapidly through hastily constructed business buildings until every business place on the south side of Main street, between B and C streets, except the First State bank, had been burned.

**Let at Pickwick-Cafe, 405 N. Oregon.**  
**White Cafe, 105 N. San Antonio St.**  
**Dr. Anna Remm, Buckler Bldg. over Elite**  
**Dr. Ebert, Dentist, 216-218 Mills Bldg.**

**Woodmen Circle.**  
Willow Grove No. 54 will meet Saturday night, Feb. 15, in the new K. of P. hall, in the Lumber Bldg. M. E. Scotten, Guardian.  
Lulu Mattice, Clerk.

**Edward C. Wade, Jr., formerly Asst. U. S. Atty. for New Mexico, now has law offices Sixth floor 1st Nat. Bank Bldg. Special attention New Mexico practice.**

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**Automobile a Prize Held Up.**  
Los Angeles, Calif., Feb. 15.—Reports that four men armed with rifles had held up four automobile parties and an interurban car along Washington boulevard, between this city and Venice, a nearby beach resort, were received at local police headquarters shortly before midnight. Several automobiles loaded with detectives and policemen were

ordered to take up Benson's badge and dismiss him from the force.

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## BRANN TALKS AT FRANCHISE MEET

Good Progress is Reported in Preparing For "Save the Babies" Week.

The El Paso Equal Franchise league met Thursday afternoon in the chamber of commerce. Charles A. Brann gave an interesting talk on equal suffrage. Mr. Brann took the stand that if women wanted equal suffrage it should be given to them, and spoke of the important work done by women in this world.

Mrs. Ruth M. Angus, the second vice president, presided at the brief business meeting. Mrs. Alma J. Cox gave the secretary's report. Mrs. Horace A. Lay Jenkins, chairman of the "Save the Babies" week, reported the progress of the work in preparation for the "Save the Babies" week. She announced that at the schools of the city next Friday, special talks would be given in the schools by prominent physicians and nurses of the city on home hygiene,giene.

**Programs Are Announced.**  
The programs in a number of the schools have been assigned to chairmen and others will be assigned later. Mrs. George Brunner will be in charge of the program at the Sunset school; Mrs. C. V. Elliott at the Lamar school; Mrs. Louis L. Robinson at the Alta Vista school; Mrs. P. D. Garrett at the San Jacinto school, and Miss Louise Dietrich at the Bailey school. Mrs. Jenkins spoke of the progress of the work in preparation for the "Save the Babies" week, in which recipes of various nationalities will be grouped together. These will be sold for the fund to help the Baby sanatorium in Clondroff.

**Woodmen Circle to Help.**  
Mrs. S. J. Fennell reported that the members of Willow Grove Woodmen circle, will give an entertainment on February 24 in the Knights of Pythias hall, and contribute the proceeds to the Clondroff sanatorium fund. Mrs. O. A. Critchett, chairman of the committee, in the First Presbyterian church for "Save the Babies" week, reported that she was receiving very encouraging cooperation. Mrs. J. T. Hamel reported for the committee who visited the drug stores and dairies that these business places would cooperate in the distribution of the "Save the Babies" literature, patterned after the forms which were sent by the University of Texas.

Following the reports and business meeting, Mrs. S. J. Fennell conducted the study of parliamentary law and presided at the parliamentary drill, which concludes the meeting.

## MAYOR REMOVES MOUNTED POLICE

Officer Sid Benson Has His Badge Taken Up After Striking H. D. Camp.

Mounted patrolman Sid Benson has been removed from the police force following a mixup Thursday afternoon at 5:15, in front of the Fritz beer garden, at San Antonio and Santa Fe streets. A call was sent in to the police station from the beer garden reporting that two soldiers were fighting. Mounted officer Benson rode to the place but the soldiers had disappeared. Witnesses pointed out a man as one of the men implicated in the trouble. He gave the name of Carl Hooker, of company F, 15th infantry, but was wearing civilian clothes. Hooker told the officer that he was not the man. Benson told him he was under arrest on a charge of fighting. After Hooker had been placed in the patrol wagon, R. E. Shaw, a driver for the Jitney company, told Benson that he had the wrong man. Benson is said to have ordered Shaw to stand aside. Benson stated afterwards that Shaw became abusive and he was forced to place Shaw in the patrol wagon with Hooker.

**Camp Is Struck.**  
H. D. Camp, president of the Jitney company, came to the scene of the affair and asked Benson why he arrested Shaw, according to Camp's own statement. Camp stated later that Benson was insulting to him. Benson is then said to have taken Shaw by the collar and placed him in the patrol wagon.

Camp then went to the police station in an automobile. At the door of the station he met Judge Paul Thomas, of the corporation court. He asked Judge Thomas to accompany him to the jailer's office to arrange for Shaw's release. Benson was searching Hooker at the time Thomas and Camp entered. Camp is then said to have asked Benson why he arrested Shaw. According to Camp, Benson then struck him in the face, cutting a deep gash. Benson then drew his pistol, according to Camp. The pistol was knocked upward by Judge Thomas, who said: "Let's have no gun play here."

**Told Mayor Of Trouble.**  
Shaw was released on his personal recognizance to appear in police court this afternoon. Camp then went to the city hall and told Mayor Lea of the trouble. Chief Don Johnson later received orders to take up Benson's badge and dismiss him from the force.

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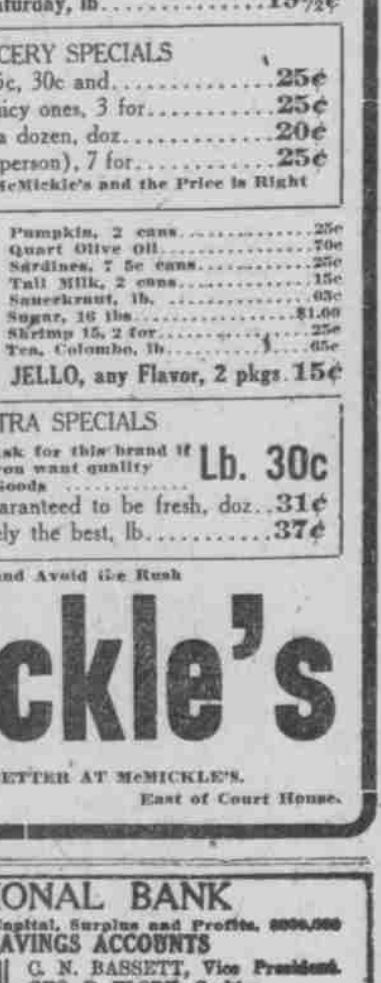
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**Charged With Taking Earth.**  
Leon Camacho was arrested Friday morning, on Texas street, by mounted officers, charged with taking dirt from private property and loading it into a small wagon.

**Dr. Appaman, chiropractor, Coles Bldg.**  
**McKenzie & Loomis, lawyers; general practice, Suite 405, Caples Bldg.**  
**Longwell—Be careful of your baggage checks. Leave at Longwell's. Tel. 1.**  
**Dr. A. E. Brown, dentist, 4th floor Mills Bldg.**

**Held On Chicken Stealing Charge.**  
Manuel Matrada was bound over to the grand jury by Justice J. M. Weaver Friday morning. He was alleged to have taken some chickens from the home of C. C. Kiefer on Upton avenue.

**FEDERAL COURT WITNESSES TO PAY OWN WAY TO TRIALS**  
Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 15.—Voluntary witnesses in federal court cases, who come from outside the district, are entitled only to fees for 100 miles of travel.

This is the decision of federal Judge Trippett just handed down and of much interest in New Mexico.

It is a question that has been baffled about in federal courts since 1912, when Judge Sawyer decided as Judge Trippett has just affirmed. The matter has never been before the United States supreme court.

**CORONA, N. M., MAN HELD ON BOND IN LOS ANGELES**  
Corona, N. M., Feb. 15.—Charles W. Morrison, of Corona, Lincoln county, a well known, who a few weeks ago was married at El Paso to a Roswell girl, was held in \$5000 bond at Los Angeles on the charge of having cashed checks to buy a diamond ring and other presents for his fiancée.

The check was for \$250 and the Los Angeles jeweler gave \$125 in change. It is charged that he had no funds in the bank.

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Round Steak, lb. 17½¢  
Rib Roast, lb. 17½¢  
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